

## REMARKS

The decision on appeal affirmed the examiner grounds of rejection regarding claims 1, 3 and 6-10. These claims have been canceled herein.

The decision reversed the rejection of claims 2, 4, 5 and 11-20. Claims 2, 4, 5, 11, 13 and 18 have been rewritten in independent form to include the limitations of the associated independent claim and any intervening claim in accordance with the Boards decision. Claims 12, 14-17 and 19-20 depend directly or indirectly from one of the now independent claims. Claims 2, 4-5, and 11-20 remain in the application and are in condition for allowance.

The applicants have elected not to further pursue the appeal regarding judicial review and have submitted this amendment to expedite the prosecution of this application. The examiner is invited to contact the undersigned if there is anything further needed to expedite this case.

Respectfully Submitted;

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